



April 4, 2005

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Oakland, CA 94607-1018

Subject: Unauthorized Use of State-Owned Aquatic Lands in Port Washington Narrows,
Kitsap County and Notice to Vacate Premises

Your vessel "Fletcher J.", also known as "Ked", has been anchored permanently on state-owned aquatic lands in Port Washington Narrows in Kitsap County, Washington for several years. In accordance with the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 332-30-127 you are not authorized to occupy state-owned aquatic lands on a permanent basis without written permission from the Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The DNR is constitutionally and statutorily obligated to act as the steward of Washington's public aquatic lands and associated resources, including the area of Port Washington Narrows. These lands are managed for the benefit of the public; use of aquatic lands that interfere with use by the general public requires written authorization from the DNR.

This is formal notice that the DNR will not authorize your illegal boat moorage in Port Washington Narrows in the present location. The DNR considers your vessel illegal and in trespass on state-owned aquatic lands and requires you to remove your vessel and vacate the premises. Your vessel must be removed **NO LATER THAN MAY 4, 2005**. Your failure to remove the vessel and cease the illegal moorage may result in monthly use and occupancy charges per WAC 332-30-127 and will cause DNR to either pursue custody of your vessel through RCW (Revised Code of Washington) 79.100 or to turn this action over to the Office of the Attorney General for appropriate legal action.

Feel free to consider other locations that may be more suitable for your vessel to be moored. However, you may not place your vessel on state-owned aquatic lands without first contacting and obtaining authorization from the DNR.

I appreciate your cooperation. If you have any questions regarding this matter or if I can be of assistance, please call me at (360) 825-1631 x2020 or on my cell at (b)(6)

Sincerely,

Melissa Montgomery, Aquatic Land Manager

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